Now, Therefore, I, George W. Bush, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim September 24 through September 30, 2001, as National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week. I call upon the people of the United States, including government officials, educators, and administrators, to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities, thereby demonstrating our appreciation of and support for these important educational institutions.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord two thousand one, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and twenty-sixth.

George W. Bush

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NOTE: This proclamation will be published in the *Federal Register* on October 2.

Memorandum on Determination Pursuant to Section 2(c)(1) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, as Amended

September 28, 2001

Presidential Determination No. 2001-30

Memorandum for the Secretary of State Subject: Determination Pursuant to Section 2(c)(1) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, as Amended

Pursuant to section 2(c)(1) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 2601(c)(1), I hereby determine that it is important to the national interest that up to \$25 million be made available from the U.S. Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance Fund to meet unexpected urgent refugee and migration needs of a new exodus of refugees from Afghanistan. These funds may be used, as appropriate, to provide contributions to international, governmental, and nongovern-

mental organizations, and as necessary, for administrative expenses of the Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration.

You are authorized and directed to inform the appropriate committees of the Congress of this determination and the obligation of funds under this authority, and to arrange for the publication of this memorandum in the *Federal Register*.

George W. Bush

Digest of Other White House Announcements

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

September 22

During the day, the President had a meeting and videoconference with national security advisers at Camp David, MD.

September 23

In the afternoon, the President returned to the White House.

September 24

In the morning, the President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Thaksin Chinnawat of Thailand concerning cooperation against terrorism. Later, the President met with his National Security Council.

The White House announced that the President will welcome King Abdullah II of Jordan to Washington for a working visit on September 28.

The White House announced that the President will welcome Belgian Prime Minister and President of the European Council Guy Verhofstadt for a meeting on September 27.

September 25

In the morning, the President met with congressional leaders, and later he met with his National Security Council.

In the evening, the President and Laura Bush went to Arlington, VA, where they had dinner at the El Paso Cafe. Later, they returned to the White House.

The White House announced that the President will attend the APEC Leaders Meeting in Shanghai on October 20–21 as scheduled, but is postponing planned stops in Tokyo, Seoul, and Beijing.

September 26

In the morning, the President had separate telephone conversations with Prime Minister Wim Kok of the Netherlands and President Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan concerning cooperation against terrorism. He then met with his National Security Council. Later, he met with finalists for the Boys and Girls Club of America Youth of the Year award.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Langley, VA, and later returned to the White House.

The President announced his intention to nominate John V. Hanford III to be Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom.

The President announced his intention to nominate Mary L. Walker to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force.

The President announced his intention to nominate Patrick Francis Kennedy to be Alternative Representative of the United States to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

The President announced his intention to nominate C. William Swank to be a member of the Board of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

The President announced his intention to nominate Leslie Silverman to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

September 27

In the morning, the President traveled to Chicago, IL. While en route aboard Air Force One, he met with Members of Congress.

In the afternoon, the President returned to Washington, DC.

September 28

In the morning, the President had separate telephone conversations with Prime Minister John Howard of Australia and President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo of the Philippines concerning cooperation against terrorism. The President also met with his National Security Council.

In the afternoon, the President went to Camp David, MD.

The President announced his intention to nominate Claude M. Bolton, Jr., to be Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition Logistics and Technology.

The President declared a major disaster in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, tornadoes, and flooding associated with Tropical Storm Gabrielle on September 13–21.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted September 25

Everet Beckner,

of New Mexico, to be Deputy Administrator for Defense Programs, National Nuclear Security Administration, vice Madelyn R. Creedon, resigned.

Harold Daub,

of Nebraska, to be a member of the Social Security Advisory Board for the remainder of the term expiring September 30, 2006, vice Mark A. Weinberger, resigned.

Charles Lawrence Greenwood, Jr.,

of Florida, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Coordinator for Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC).

Stephan Michael Minikes,

of the District of Columbia, to be U.S. Representative to the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, with the rank of Ambassador.